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Mr. Ben Terry Phoenix Mining LLC Box 369 Loa, Utah 84747

Re:

Milford Copper Tailings

Project S/001/034

Dear Mr. Terry:

We have reviewed a copy of your Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations. We received a copy of the notice from the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining on October 3, 1994.

This project is for processing the Milford copper tailings located approximate 3 miles south of Milford Utah. The notice describes employing mechanical separation using a magnetic separator and constructing a electrowinning lab at the site.

It does not appear that the operation as described will have any water quality impacts. No permit is required for the stated activities.

If we can be of further assistance, please contact me or Mr. Lyle Stott of my staff.

Sincerely,

Kiran L. Bhayani, P.E., D.EE., Manager

Design Evaluation Section

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Travis W. Jones - Division of Oil Gas and Mining

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